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ENTERED AS SECOND-CLASS MAIL MATTER.

THE TEACHERS do not want to hold their conventions on Saturday. The school board should decide the matter.

HON. ELMER A. MORSE was injured in the railroad accident the other day. What an outpouring of sympathy will reach him from A. P. A. members in every part of the state.

FISHER H. PEARSON is again out after Foss. The latter drives around all the back room speak eases and is very hard to keep track of. He spends a good deal of time in Little Canada.

THERE is trouble among the department accountants at Washington. A large sum of money is reported missing and business is suspended in order to find where it is or how it disappeared.

HOLMES, the alleged murderer, now on trial in Philadelphia, seems well versed in the art of springing sensations. As counsel for himself he will probably have a choice selection of sensations in store for the court as often as necessity warrants them.

The author of the new book, "All Men Are Liars," probably was a candidate for office some time or other at the hands of a newly elected Fall River city government. — Fall River Globe.

Or was among the left in some election and had been promised every vote in the constituency he canvassed. It strikes us, however, that the author of "All Men Are Liars" was a woman.

THE SUNDAY PRESS has adopted a new word—"drunkness." It is quite an improvement upon the old drunkenness which has a syllable "en" of no earthly use. This is also favoring the quality of brevity in a drunk which is very desirable and considering the charge made against one of its reporters in its first issue we don't wonder that the Press has come out with this innovation.

The Boston Standard has an Orange lodge column, and its news from Nova Scotia and the provinces is always conspicuous. This plainly indicates the class of readers it seeks to please and their nationality. As an A. P. A. journal it must first cater to Orangemen and British Americans. Native Americans come next in order. — Haverhill Gazette.

Allegiance to the Prince of Orange is the standard of its patriotism.

THE YOUNG MEN'S Democratic club of Boston has published a number of pamphlets that throw some lurid light on important state issues. They show up in particular the duties of quasi-public corporations, the lobby, the legislative measures of the republican party, and will make instructive reading. Everybody who wants to be well posted on the issues of the present campaign should read these pamphlets.

MR. WILLIAMS' SPEECH.

The speech, or oration rather, of Hon. George Fred Williams at Huntington last evening was among the very best campaign addresses ever delivered in this city. He dealt with the issues of the campaign in a masterly manner and exposed with severity the Fabian policy of the republicans both as to the issues involved and to the questions propounded by the democratic standard bearer.

MONTGOMERY'S SUNDAY BROKERAGE.

Rev. Mr. Montgomery injures the cause of no-license more than he benefits it by his side thrusts at newspapers and individuals.

He condemns the Citizen as "unfit for any christian home," and he offered for sale the stock of an A. P. A. sheet that is a disgrace to the intelligence of this community.

He eulogized the Mail probably because he was paid for so doing. In his present situation it is not difficult to secure his services for any such project, but when he conducts a stockbroker's business on Sunday and condemns a clean newspaper, while recommending one that is a synonyme of filth and scurrility his advocacy of any cause loses whatever weight might be attached to it.

As an indication of his consistency he alluded to Foss and Pearson but said not a word of Mr. Nicholls the no-license candidate for senator.

SENATOR FOSS'S RECORD.

Foss's record as shown up in yesterday's SUN speaks for itself. The SUN branded him as a corporation minion and his recorded votes prove that. He voted in many cases viva voce so that no record is obtained but in every case he was the friend to the big combines such as the Bell Telephone, and the foe to honest labor. Beyond this he was the friend to Mr. Foss, the Lowell contractor, and so manipulated affairs that he secured a contract on the county trustee school, the state normal school and the county court house. With Foss in the legislature the other builders of Lowell have no chance of a contract except as his representative and for him. Voters can read his record and draw their own conclusions.

The Other Fellows' Turn.

It is not many years since Mr. Platt of New York was spoken of contemptuously as "Me Too." And now it is all the other fellows that humbly say "me, too," to Platt, who stands alone as a great big "I." — Philadelphia Times.

THE SUN Job Print leads them all. Try us.

Postponement of Trial.

BOSTON, Oct. 29.—Rev. Frank H. Smith, rector of the North Avenue Congregational church of Cambridge, was arraigned in the United States district court yesterday, and the case was adjourned to Nov. 5, when he will plead to an indictment charging him with sending defamatory postal cards through the mails.

A Drawing Card.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29.—An injunction to restrain Lady Sholto Douglas from appearing on the stage of the Burbank theater with the Frawley company was issued yesterday. The injunction is the result of a quarrel between rival theatrical managers as to which should have Lady Douglas's services.

Invitation to Herbert.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The Merchants' association of Boston have invited Secretary Herbert to attend a banquet at Boston on Nov. 15, and to deliver an address upon the subject of the enlargement of the Boston navy yard and the improvement of the harbor. The secretary took the invitation under consideration.

Sports May Bury Him.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 29.—No one came to claim the remains of Callahan, and the friends of the bridge jumper's body remains at Cliftondale, where he was taken by order of Coroner Hasbrouck. It is understood that a fund will be raised among the sporting fraternity of Poughkeepsie to bury Callahan.

Misplaced Switch Caught a Wreck.

DANIELS, Conn., Oct. 29.—A misplaced switch threw a freight train on the Norwich and Worcester road from the track last evening. Three cars were piled up over the tracks, blocking them. Freight trains were lined up numerous.

Little Ones Smothered.

MANISTEE, Mich., Oct. 29.—Two children of John Conley, aged 6 and 5 years, were smothered to death by smoke. They had gotten some matches and set the bedding on fire.

Fire in Car Shop.

LAKEPORT, N. H., Oct. 29.—The fourth disastrous fire at the Laconia car shops occurred last night, when the iron foundry, the "setting up" shop, several freight cars and other property were destroyed, entailing a loss of \$25,000.

Probably Gone to the Bottom.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The Nova Scotia bark Nellie Troop, which left Manila 135 days ago, is nearly 100 days overdue. Old sailors say that the Nellie Troop will probably never "enter" at this port again.

Palmer's Sentence Reduced.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The president has commuted the five years' sentence of Henry B. Palmer, convicted in Massachusetts of embezzlement, to three years' actual imprisonment.

Wrenn Still Champion.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 29.—George L. Wrenn won the title of tennis champion of Harvard university, having defeated R. T. Parke, the winner of the fall tournament. Wrenn won with ease.

Reduced to Less Than \$5,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The gold reserve of the treasury stands at \$3,227,580. The excess of receipts yesterday was \$694,831, which reduced the deficit for October to \$7,954,968, and for the fiscal year to \$17,839,626.

Mrs. Carver Sues For Divorce.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Carver J. Carver has filed a suit for divorce from her husband, Dr. William J. Carver, the champion shot. It is on statutory grounds. They were married in 1878.

New York's Registration.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The registration figures are now complete, and show a grand total for the city of 231,003. The grand total for 1901 was 308,455, and in 1899 265,940.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

The ex-Queen of Hawaii will spend the winter in Italy.

Freight trolley cars may be introduced in Newark, N. J.

Winter wheat in the southwest has been damaged by drought.

Twenty American locomotives will be sent to Russia in December.

More powerful warships will be sent to Constantinople by the powers.

Two Boston policemen suspended on account of charges of intoxication.

Men on the Jackson-Harmsworth polar expedition are anxious to return.

The loss to the University of Virginia by fire is now estimated at \$300,000.

Rev. W. A. Dwight of Boston and Miss Edith Roberts were married in London.

The trial of North Carolina insurance frauds will be repeated to secure justice.

Secretary Morton doubts reports concerning the failure of the western wheat crop.

Portugal declines Great Britain's offer of assistance in quelling the Guan rebellion.

Western roads report last week as satisfactory in freight rates, but not in passenger figures.

Robert A. Packard pleaded guilty to a charge of horse stealing in court at Quincy, Mass.

The remodelled Universalist church at Nishua, N. H., improved at a cost of \$13,000, was dedicated.

Mayor Cook of Gloucester, Mass., refused to pay \$1,500,000 for the Gloucester Water Supply company's plant.

Senor Cespedes, son of the first president of the Cuban republic, has gone with an expedition to Cuba.

THE MOST remarkable cures on record have been accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is unequalled for all BLOOD DISEASES.

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Your lungs supply air to your blood. Your heart pumps it all over your body. Your kidneys filter it. You would die if any of these three great organs stopped their work.

But if any one is more important than the others, it is the kidneys. If the heart is the cause of one disease, your kidneys are the cause of twenty.

Treating the kidneys is a great help in some lung and heart diseases. But treating your lungs or your heart will never benefit your kidneys.

When you feel dull, ambitious, dizzy, tired, nervous, have pain in your back, headache, chilly sensations, all forebodings, puffiness of the eyelids, swelling of the feet and ankles, when you are losing flesh and sleep, you may be sure you have kidney trouble.

As soon as the kidneys fail sick they stop doing their work. They stop filtering the blood.

This is worse than ever. There is poison in unfiltered blood. The poison is what causes so-called "blood diseases," such as Rheumatism, Gout, Anemia, Chlorosis, Neuralgia, Eruptions, etc.

The kidneys cause these diseases. The kidneys can cure them, if they are themselves first cured.

They can be cured with Dr. Hobb's Sprague's Kidney Pills.

The wonderful action of Dr. Hobb's Sprague's Kidney Pills on the kidneys lies in the great curative powers of the Asparagus plant.

You can test its tonic action on your kidneys by eating a dish of it. But this action is a thousand times strengthened in Dr. Hobb's Sprague's Kidney Pills.

They contain the active ingredient of Asparagus, extracted by special process. They are strong. They act instantly. They give immediate relief.

They cure in a very short time. But they are perfectly harmless, purely vegetable, and contain nothing injurious to health.

Kidney troubles are dangerous. Bright's Disease is the worst of them. Dr. Hobb's Sprague's Kidney Pills will cure Bright's Disease.

They will cure all other kidney troubles. They tone up and strengthen the sick kidneys. They give them fresh life and strength. They give them energy to begin work again as if they had never been sick.

As soon as the kidneys are well, your other diseases will begin to go. Your pains and aches in your limbs, muscles and joints, your headaches, your pale cheeks, your pimples and eruptions will all disappear.

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SUNBEAMS.

What Troubled Him.

A slender little old man with horny hands and grimy face dropped into a seat on a market street car last night, set his lunch basket between his feet, mopped the perspiration off his face with a ragged bandanna handkerchief and leaned back, exhausted from his day's work. Suddenly he started, clasped both hands over his heart and groaned. Several passengers looked at him curiously. He was evidently suffering intensely.

"What's the matter?" inquired the man next to him.

"Oh, oh, it's my heart!" he groaned.

His face was contorted with the agony he suffered, and he writhed and moaned piteously.

"Is there a physician in the car?" shouted an alarmed passenger.

The passengers crowded about the sufferer.

"Stand back and give him air!" yelled the conductor.

"Stand back!" "Stand back!" "Oh-h-h-ugh!"

The man's groan ended in a shriek of agony.

"Let me see what I can do for him," remarked a stranger. "I'm a physician."

The crowd gave way. The sufferer slipped from the seat and fell on the floor of the car and lay there writhing and groaning.

"Oh, it's my heart! Oh-h-h!"

The physician stooped over and commenced to loosen the sufferer's clothing.

"Shall I ring for an ambulance?" inquired the conductor.

"No. You'd better turn in an alarm of fire," and the physician threw on the floor of the car the stubby clay pipe that had set fire to the old man's vest pocket. — San Francisco Post.

As Others See Her.

"I think," said the weary looking man, "that I have found a way to cure my wife's kidney trouble."

"Indeed? That's pretty hard to do in most cases."

"I know it is. It's a delicate undertaking. One that has to be conducted with the utmost discretion. Of course, if I let her know what I am trying to do it will make things worse and spoil everything. I took a great deal of study and have found something that will do the business. It's a little expensive, but it will be worth it."

"What are you going to do?"

"Buy her a cheap glass." — Washington Star.

Both to Be 'New.'

"This talk of the new woman in politics makes me tired!" he exclaimed as he threw down the paper.

"What's the matter?" asked his wife quietly.

"Just stop and think of the kind of title the voters often have at the polls in a close election and then tell me what a woman could do there. And where would she be in a hot primary fight?"

"But you forget, Joseph!"

"Forget what?"

"That the new woman intends to have new politics." — Chicago Post.

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The tobacco habit grows on a man until his nervous system is seriously affected, impairing health, comfort and happiness. To a sudden, it is too severe a shock to the system, and an inveterate user becomes a stigmatized, that his system continually craves. "Baco-Curo," is a scientific cure for the tobacco habit, in all its forms, carefully compounded after the formula of an eminent Berlin physician who has used it in his private practice since 1872, without a failure. It is purely vegetable and guaranteed perfectly harmless. You can use all the tobacco you want, while taking "Baco-Curo," it will notify you when to stop. We give a written guarantee to cure permanently any case with three boxes, or refund the money with 10 per cent. interest. "Baco-Curo," is not a substitute, but a scientific cure, that cures without the aid of will power and with no inconvenience. It leaves the system as pure and free from nicotine as the day you took your first chew or smoke. Sold by all druggists, with our ironclad guarantee, at \$1.00 per box, three boxes (thirty days' treatment). \$2.50 and guaranteed cure, or sent direct upon receipt of price. Booklet and proofs free. Eureka Chemical and Mfg. Co., Mfg. Chemists, La Crosse, Wis.

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may be diseased while the other may be healthy and doing the work of both — nature rebels, and the trouble is indicated by a pain in one side of the back and frequent inclination to pass urine. Kidney trouble may exist and not be indicated by the state of the urine, which remains clear. Constipation generally exists and the backache may extend down the thigh. The diseased Kidney becomes inflamed and the waste matter which is retained promotes the growth of stones and gravel. If taken in the early stage, Bulker's Kidney Pills will remove the stoppage, allay inflammation and help the Kidneys to perform their proper functions. Send for book on Kidney troubles—it's free. Pills cost 50 cents at the druggists.

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THERE IS ONE TRAP TAX WAY TO CONVERT MONOPOLY FUND FOR LABOR.

Through the Subjugation of the Demon of Land Monopoly Would Come the Breaking of Skynoke's Power, and the Question of Money Would Be Solved.

(Special Correspondence.)

Directly or indirectly all the great battles of civilization have been fought around questions of taxation. That is the dictum of history, as formulated by Burke, the great English statesman. Who shall tax who; who shall help to support our government; who shall be able to get rich at the expense of somebody else through increased monopoly contrivances giving to this or that group of men, to this or that section, more power over the other in greater accumulation of wealth? There we have the grand storm center of all the important national and international difficulties. Monopoly itself is but private taxation, the worst of all, because more hidden and far heavier than public taxation. With all our wretched extravagance in national and local taxation the whole tax fund in 1890 was not much over \$800,000,000, while the monopoly fund was about \$7,000,000,000 out of a little over \$11,000,000,000 net earnings in the nation. The figures proving this were given in an article December, 1893, in The Locomotive Firemen's Magazine by the writer, who challenged his figures to be disproved, and they were not.

If those figures were to represent some exaggeration, even then we could say that the greatest problem of civilization was how to suppress the monopoly fund and convert it into increased labor fund. The monopoly fund is mostly absorbed by about 2 per cent of the nation, and the balance by 8 per cent small fry monopolists, as the article in question illustrated.

Conversion of the monopoly fund into increased labor earnings is then to the interest of at least 90 per cent of the nation. In some form or other it would benefit everybody, because, beyond a certain point, wealth is the enemy of all positive joys, especially when not acquired through processes in accordance with divine law.

The job implied in that conversion, or rather the destruction of the monopoly fund, can be accomplished through a reconstruction in public taxation. Mr. Louis F. Post has recently and most vividly mentioned the simplicity of the process in a speech to an audience of farmers in the state of New York. He said: "You would not think of setting traps all over a field to catch a groundhog, but would place a trap at the groundhog's hole. Place, then, a trap tax at the plutocrat's hole (the land) and catch him whether going in or out. You farmers want to catch the plutocrat, who is nothing but the groundhog of the whole industrial fabric, through many traps, many taxes, and he waxes fat on a multiplicity of taxes, because they all can be shifted to the shoulders of the workers."

Well, what applies to the farmers is equally applicable to every honest worker in all fields of industry, in all professions and arts, and to every honest occupation in the whole range of organized society. Land is not only the seat of all homes, but also that of all human activities. Land controlled by the few through direct deeds or under the hidden manipulations of interest bearing securities in any form whatever—that means all industry and commerce at the mercy of the few, and so all workers virtually the slaves of a set of landlords in open or underground processes.

Now, a fundamental tax reconstruction, as above outlined, implies a money reconstruction, for the purpose of gradually canceling all those interest bearing securities, which, being public or corporate, form the basis of the grand totality of the earnings of the workers. That would give us an abundant medium of exchange which could not be used to check industry, the power of monopoly having been crushed through our one trap tax. All that money supply would then have to go into the channels of legitimate industry. It would then inexorably drop into the hands of all workers according to their respective industry and thrift. That would enable the workers to rapidly wipe out or cancel all private real estate mortgages, or chattel mortgages, or promissory notes, etc. Under such a monetary system every worker could be his own banker. We could have government depositories subject to check, for instance, and that is all. Our present bankers would then have to do something useful in the social fabric. They themselves would be the happier for it.

The writer does not really see the need of any group of men being eternally in debt to any set of wealthy chaps, nor to the government for that matter. A healthy social organization can give to all men an abundance of land, in quantity or quality, and so an abundance of wealth, since land is the source of all wealth, and hence an abundance of money, since money is but a representation of wealth, a measure of wealth, a draft on wealth, on "labor created wealth."

We should always discriminate between what we may call natural wealth—the natural imperishable elements and the perishable productions created by labor, and so in need of being constantly reproduced to satisfy human needs and comforts.

Besides those two forms of wealth, we have social wealth, the land values that the totality of the workers evolve. That should be taken by society for public use in the form of economic rent, which, if not collected by society, drops into the hands of a pack of sharpers, increased into monopoly rents, often hidden under forms of interest and profits in gambling combinations. They are all ultimately fed by the demon of land monopoly!

Joss Gros.
Morristown, N. J.

Hopless.

"I have half a notion to give up trying to be a man," sighed the new woman.

"What!" shrieked the others.

"There is no use trying. I have made the most strenuous efforts possible to feel half scared to death when I go into a dry goods store, and I just can't do it."

—Indianapolis Journal.

A SCHEME OF DEGRADATION.

If Labor Submits to Tagging, It May Look Next For the Branding Iron.

From time to time plutocratic employers of laboring men spring the question of the advisability of tagging their steers. These plutocrats claim that the employment of vast herds of human cattle makes it necessary to tag and number them that their business may be conducted more satisfactorily to themselves, and with an impudence that defies exaggeration they "round up" their cattle and submit to them the propriety of substituting tags and numbers for names. One of the strange features of this scheme of degradation is seen in the fact that the men whom the plutocratic employers propose to tag and number as if they were penitentiary convicts deem it prudent to discuss the subject as if it were a business proposition rather than a shrewdly devised scheme to ignore their manhood, destroy their individuality as men and citizens and make labor unappealingly odious. That this is the case is shown from Mill Waukegan, Joliet and Chicago fully established. In these localities, where corporations are engaged in iron and steel manufacturing enterprises and a large number of workmen are employed, the proprietors have unblushingly proposed to tag the men, and the men are discussing the proposition, but so confident are the plutocrats that the men will consent to their own degradation that the tags have been ordered and are ready for use.

It is difficult to grasp the ineffable infamy of this degrading scheme. If it were devised for convicts, galley slaves, criminals transported to penal colonies, it might be regarded as prudent, but that the plutocratic employers should suggest the infamous practice for American workmen is to compound the policy of the Russian despot, who tags and numbers the victims of his wrath whom he consigns to torture and to death in his Siberian mines.

The scheme of tagging and numbering workmen proposed by the Illinois Steel company and kindred corporations leaves little more to be done to reach the lowest depths of wage slave degradation in the United States. The tagging and numbering infamy accomplished, the branding iron and the iron collar will be in order.

Will American workmen quietly submit to be tagged and numbered? Indeed will they accept the degradation under any possible circumstances or conditions?

Confronted by propositions and preparations to degrade workmen to the level of beasts of burden, to the level of "dumb driven cattle," is it not time for American workmen to protest and resist to the death, if required, to maintain their liberty and their manhood, to rescue their homes from being numbered as stalls for cattle, their wives from the degrading designation of "dams" and their children as the progeny of some sire known only by his tag and number?

If American workmen have not abdicated their manhood, if the fires of liberty and high aspirations are not totally extinguished, they will give corporations to understand that at any and every sacrifice they will resist this last and most infamous invasion of their rights and liberties, and that with their wives and children they will go down to honored graves rather than live the tagged and numbered slaves of corporations.

—Eugene V. Debs in Chicago Evening Press.

Two Ever Thus.

Laborer—What brings you here? What do you want? You don't belong to us. Go away. The White Handled Man—Belong to you, brothers.

Laborer—What an ideal! You one of us! A likely story, look at my hands. Don't you see how dirty they are? They smell of the earth of the barnyard. But look how white yours are. What do they smell of?

The White Handled Man—Here, small Laborer—What the devil is that? They seem to smell of iron!

The White Handled Man—True, I wore chains on these hands. Don't you see how clean they are? They smell of the earth of the barnyard. But look how white yours are. What do they smell of?

The White Handled Man—Because I wrote in your cause. Because I wished to see you poor, ignorant men free because I love and rebel against your oppressors. That was why they put me in prison.

Laborer—How? You've been in prison? Who told you that?

Two Years Later.

Another Laborer to the First—Yes, Peter, don't you know that fellow with white hands who came here summer before last? He talked with you.

First Laborer—Yes, well, what about him? Second Laborer—He's gone on rebelling!

First Laborer—Has he gone on rebelling? Second Laborer—Yes, just as before.

First Laborer—Well, I'll tell you what, Brother Dimitry, don't you suppose we could get a bit of the rope he's hanged with? They say that such a bit of rope brings good luck to a house.

Second Laborer—That is true, Brother Peter. We must try.—Ivan Turgenoff.

Growth of British Unions.

The increase of membership in 20 of the leading British trades unions during the last six years is thus reported by the government: Amalgamated engineers, 21,000; iron molders, 8,000; boiler makers, 19,000; shipwrights, 10,000; carpenters and joiners, 16,000; bricklayers, 14,000; stonemasons, 6,000; cotton spinners, 4,000; weavers, 10,000; tailors, 3,000; shoeworkers, 84,000; Durham miners, 20,000; Yorkshire miners, 41,000; Northumberland miners, 4,500; Nottinghamshire miners, 18,000; railway workers, 24,000; printers, 5,000; London printers, 4,000; farm laborers, 4,000; dock laborers, 14,000.

The Unemployed in New Zealand.

Sydney, New South Wales, has hit upon a practical method of dealing with its unemployed. It furnishes a railway pass and a miner's right of credit to each suitable applicant to enable him to proceed to one of the goldfields of the colony, where he may have a chance of earning a living by "fossicking" for the precious metal. The number of passes issued in 1894 was 9,872, and since the inauguration of the scheme the quantity of gold obtained in the colony has risen from 179,288 ounces in 1893 to 324,787 ounces in 1894.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

A BIG SENSATION

Sprung in the Philadelphia Court Today.

HOLMES REQUESTS HIS COUNSEL TO WITHDRAW

After Refused to Postpone the Trial.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—A sensation was sprung in court today at the trial of H. H. Holmes, charged with the murder of Benjamin F. Plitzel, when counsel for the prisoner withdrew at Holmes' request.

Holmes' counsel asked for an adjournment of the case and the court refused to grant it.

Thereupon Holmes told his lawyers to withdraw from the case. The attorneys were William A. Shoemaker and Samuel Locas. Holmes is now conducting his own case and according to his own confession, stands at the head of the list of modern criminals.

AS TO SENATOR FOSS'S RECORD

WHILE IN THE LEGISLATURE AS REPRESENTATIVE AND SENATOR.

He Opposed Labor and Favored Corporations—His Frequent Absence.

The election of 1895 draws near, and it becomes the duty of every voter to vote intelligently on the questions presented to him.

We present here some plain facts as reasons why you should not vote for either S. Foss, the republican candidate for senator, and allow you to judge for yourself, whether he is a proper man to represent your interests.

While in the house he—

Voted against the bill to reduce the hours of labor of women and minors employed in manufacturing establishments.

Voted against the bill providing that only citizens should be employed on public work. (This bill was presented by the Boston labor unions.)

Voted against the amendment to the Boston city charter bill, providing that its enforcement should be submitted to the people.

Voted against the bill to compel the West End St. R. R. to issue transfers good on all its lines.

Voted for the bill providing that state officers should be elected for terms of two years. Thus placing them further away from the people. A bill which the labor unions of the state fought for years.

Out of a total of 111 roll calls while in the house he was absent, thus refusing to place himself on record on 84; and in the senate out of 72 roll calls he was absent on 28.

Where was he? Why was he not at his post attending to the interests of the people?

He was absent and thus dodged the issue, refusing to place himself on record, on the following important measures besides many others:

On the consideration of the measure providing for transfer checks for Boston laborers.

On the vote on the bill allowing firemen one holiday out of every seven came up.

On the vote on the bill providing that 8 hours constitute a day's work for city and town employees.

He resigned from the House to accept a place on the license commission, which he could not legally hold.

In the Senate he—

Voted yes—To refer to next General court the bill to prevent bucket shop gambling.

(To refer to the next General court is practically voting to kill the bill.)

Voted yes—To refer to Boston police bill to the people. Why did he not vote on questions interesting his own city?

Voted yes—To exempt foreign corporations from taxation.

Voted yes—To refer to the next General court the bill to employ only citizens on public works.

Voted yes—On bill for biennial elections of state officers.

Voted no—On bill requiring West End Street R. R. to issue transfers on connecting lines.

Dodged—Veterans' preference bill. Holyoke police bill, in its passage over veto. Bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Bill to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in cattle. Newspaper libel bill. Reconsideration of foreign corporations taxation bill. Amendments to biennial elections bill.

These were the most important questions decided in the senate the past year on which roll calls were taken.

Out of seventy-two roll calls Senator Foss was absent or did not vote on twenty-eight.

Look over this record in the legislature and do you think Mr. Foss is the proper man to represent you? He dodged every roll call he could and have obliged to vote he voted in nearly every instance in favor of corporate money and to remove all offices and all power as far from the people as possible.

Do you elect men to vote for your interests or to be absent when important questions arise.

THE HEARING OPENED

In the Railroad Accident at Hyde Park. By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—The Massachusetts railroad commissioners opened this morning the hearing into the cause of the accident at Hyde Park. Twenty witnesses were summoned and the morning was spent listening to a description of the place where the accident occurred.

ROD FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

Another massacre of Americans at Balhust is reported and it is stated that 150 persons were killed.

FIGHT ON A CAR.

The Last to North Chelmsford Saturday Night.

CONDUCTOR McDERMOTT HAD A HOT TIME.

Quarrymen and Founders Nearly Smashed the Car.

There were ructions on the last car from Lowell to North Chelmsford Saturday night. There has often been trouble on that car before, but never was there such a pitched battle as on Saturday night.

The quarrymen and the founders men were on the car, viz: not all of them, but many of them, and most of those who were there were drunk.

They kept quiet until they had passed the outskirts of the city, but then the fun commenced.

Fortunately the car was in charge of Conductor McDermott, one of the most fearless men in the company's service. He has quelled many a disturbance before on that line and in such cases the toe of his right boot has a great affinity for the seat of the disturbers' pants as the belligerent passenger cast from the car.

He entered into the fray Saturday night thinking he could settle the trouble right away but where there were nearly twenty men all in fighting mood he had a hopeless task.

Whenever he got a man that he could dump from the car he gave him the "hilo" but while he was engaged with one party another was getting a grip on his coat collar and one of two had the hardihood to get a deathlike hold on the seat of his pants.

A window of the car was broken, seats were scratched, and this morning clots of blood were seen upon the dashboard and platform where the riot was being waged by one to another.

Conductor Potter, one day last week, had a tussle with five Frenchmen who had been out all night at a "soiree." They refused to pay fare and became abusive but Mr. Potter succeeded in not only dumping the crowd but in giving some of them sore heads.

Potter and McDermott are not unskilled in the manly art as the North Chelmsford toughs are learning to their cost, but if the company wants to prevent bloodshed on the last car in future they had better send an officer or else get a man like John L. Sullivan or Jim Corbett to serve as conductor. Otherwise it will be necessary to have every conductor make a special police man with the privilege of using his billy on every occasion.

ASSOCIATION CATHOLIQUE

Wants a Building of Its Own.

L'Association Catholique held a special meeting at the rooms yesterday for the purpose of forming a stock company to construct a building suitable for the different uses of the organization.

Mr. E. Luliberty was elected vice president and Mr. J. B. Martin, secretary. A committee of six was appointed to arrange the by-laws of the company, and a meeting will be held next Sunday to take further action on the matter.

Foss's Big Bluff.

Senator Foss is quoted as making the statement publicly in Boston, Saturday, that one of the Catholic temperance societies in Lowell, with 300 members, was going to vote solidly for Greenleaf. It is said at Lowell that Senator Foss has received what is known among politicians as a first class bluff, as there is no Catholic temperance society in Lowell with 900 members.

No Rooster Allowed.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

New Bedford, Oct. 28.—Judge Leath of the supreme court today decided that the rooster, the emblem of the state democracy, cannot be printed on the official ballot.

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of insects, reptiles, dogs and cats,—also the stings of bees and wasps—should be instantly treated with

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMAKAC FOR TUESDAY, OCT. 29.
Sun rises at 6:11, moon sets at 2:10 AM.
Sun sets at 5:44, moon rises at 8:15 AM.
Lowest of day, 44°; Fall, 54°; 8:15 AM.
Forecast for New England: Cold; northerly winds and fair weather.

LOCAL NEWS.

The sub-station at Ellingwood's store will be opened Nov. 1st and Mr. Ellingwood will be the clerk.

Five blood steam packing is the latest and best packing for steam sold at Coburn's, Market street.

No matter what sort of an overcoat you fancy, or what you want to pay for it, if you call at J. L. Chalifoux's you'll find what you want.

All Halloween will be celebrated in a jolly way by the Humane society, who give an entertainment at Huntington hall, Thursday evening, Oct. 21st. Supper, pantomime, music and dancing. Admission twenty five cents.

Yesterday's Alarm.

The alarm from box 45 last evening was for a chimney fire in a house near the corner of Lakeview avenue and Alken street.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the common council will be held to-night to act on the budget for 1896.

A meeting of the water board will be held at 7:30 this evening.

Borjes' Band Concert And Ball.

It is years since any band has given a concert and ball. At one time these parties were very popular and were always largely attended and all attending were sure of a good time. The concert and ball of Borjes' band will be held at Huntington hall, Dec. 3rd, from 8 to 9 and dancing from 9 to 1 o'clock. The committee for the ball have decided that popular prices will show how the citizens of Lowell appreciate and will support such an organization which is one of the leading hands of the state. The price of tickets is 25 cents.

The genuine novelty will be the band of 25 pieces furnishing music for the dancing, with Joseph H. Hibbard, W. H. Valentine, M. M. Pease and N. J. Thomas as promoters.

Tickets of \$25 and \$40 in gold will be given to the persons selling the largest number of tickets and those desiring to compete for the prizes will find the tickets ready at J. H. Jeannette's, 20 1/2, 7 Hurl street, on Thursday at 10 o'clock. No popular prices will be shown for the citizens of Lowell appreciate and will support such an organization which is one of the leading hands of the state. The price of tickets is 25 cents.

SOME CRISPY GOSSIP.

The young man who is to marry the Vanderbilt young woman shows a decidedly peevish disposition. He has even refused to pay the duties on the wedding presents sent by friends in England to his fiancée. He has the right of course, to regulate his own personal expenses, and the American people have the right to laugh at him.

Did you ever notice how often some of the most prominent church members arrive late. They come in during the services disturbing all around them and even the officiating clergyman. Yet they pride themselves upon being among the most devout members of the congregation.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

A crowded house was present last night at Music hall to witness the presentation of the "White Crook." The company is fully as strong as when here last year, and the whole performance is replete with fun and laughter not a dull moment being in the whole. Funny specialties by clever comedians are interspersed between the curtain drops. The show is well worth seeing and anybody looking for a couple of hours of rare fun should not fail to see the "White Crook." The show will be repeated here tonight and tomorrow night.

An Awful Calamity.

In the year 1901 I remember seeing a very dismal procession passing down the street. It consisted of an elderly gentleman, well dressed, only his hat fallen off—walking hand-cuffed between two policemen, while another policeman marched behind.

The elderly gentleman looked pitifully conscious of his disgraceful situation. The boys ran after the old man in the street looked on curiously.

"What has he done?" asked one.
"He didn't go to see Lillian Kennedy in the great comedy 'She Couldn't Marry Three'."
Isn't it shameful.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Met in Special Session Yesterday Afternoon.

The aldermen met yesterday afternoon in special session and adopted a resolution authorizing Joseph S. Ludlum to move buildings from Lakeview avenue to Coburn street.

Alderman Howe moved that a ballot be taken for principal assessor. Every one smiled.

The ballot: Necessary for a choice, 3; John P. Mahoney, 4; Allen T. Hodge, 2; James Scott, 2.

Alderman Varnum moved for the second ballot which resulted as follows: John P. Mahoney, 3; James Scott, 2; Allen T. Hodge, 1.

Martin G. Leonard was appointed and confirmed as a constable.

The resolution accompanying the petition of the Appleton mills for a private railroad along Jackson street to their storehouse now building in that thoroughfare passed.

The following petitions were referred: Of Rev. Michael O'Brien for an electric light on Kenwick street; of Patrick Manning that a telegraph pole in front of his residence on School street be removed; of Michael Kennedy that a tree on Richmond street be cut down; of the Tremont & Suffolk company to place tracks in Cheever street.

Permission was given to conduct an entertainment in aid of St. John's hospital in Huntington hall, Nov. 17. It was voted to have a tree in front of the premises of William H. Anderson at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets removed.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery petitioned for the withdrawal of the Gladstone club license.

The order to build a sewer from East Merrimack street from the land of Robert S. Barrett through Andover street was passed.

The order was passed referring the list of voters in the Tewksbury annex to the town clerk of Tewksbury where the men on the list vote for senator and representative.

Have You Tried our New Rubber Ball? They are dandies, nothing like them ever sold before in Lowell. The price is reasonable. You should begin using them at once. Dickson Bros., 83 Merrimack street.

Hovelling, Billards, Pool. Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

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FRENCH CABINET

Falls Under Weight of Railway Scandals.

HOW THE CRISIS WAS BROUGHT ABOUT.

It Has Long Been Anticipated by Citizens.

PARIS, Oct. 29.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday M. Rouanet, who has been prominent in exposing those who were connected with the Panama canal and Southern railroad syndicates, questioned the government regarding the South of France railroad scandal, it being largely that number of senators, deputies and others have made large profits out of the company by fair or unfair means.

He declared that the good repute of parliament was involved and asked for explanations as to the partiality which had been shown towards those involved in the scandals, claiming that the authorities had been afraid to prosecute them because the deputies and senators involved with the late Baron Reinach of Panama canal fame had disposed of \$8,500,000 francs in devises, and on behalf of the southern railway he demanded that the minister of justice, M. Trarieux, publish the documents in the case, which were in his possession, and which would throw light on the subject.

M. Binder then charged the minister of justice with culpable leniency, and demanded that the guilty parties be punished.

M. Trarieux replied, denying that he had long had in his possession documents which required the arrest of Edmond Dantigny, ex-senator, and recently elected member of the French assembly, who was recently sentenced to a term of imprisonment for having received part of the profits of the syndicate. Continuing, the minister of justice said that whenever the government believed it had incriminated a person, it proceeded to the parties involved. No deputy, he added, was included among the guilty parties.

Amid continual Radical interruptions, M. Trarieux managed to say, in addition, that several names were known to the government, and he concluded with the remark: "The chamber now knows the truth, and if parliament considers its dignity and honor compromised, the government will join the chamber in voting for repressive measures, and in the face of the evidence it seeks the chamber for a vote of confidence."

The order of the day, pure and simple, was submitted to the chamber, and rejected by a vote of 406 to 105.

M. Rouanet then moved that the chamber should to publish the names of participants in the Panama scandal, and to the effect of joining in financial syndicates. The motion was accepted by Premier Ribot, and was adopted unanimously.

Later M. Rouanet submitted a motion demanding that full light be thrown upon the South of France railroad scandals, asking the government to produce all those who have been found to be implicated in them, and submit to the chamber the report of the experts who inquired into the finances of the company.

M. Ribot thereupon said it was useless to submit the expert's report, and as to the prosecutions, he added, the work of justice had been accomplished and could not be reopened.

M. Rouanet's motion, asking for an explanation as to the partiality which had been shown towards those involved in the scandals, claiming that the authorities had been afraid to prosecute them, and demanding that the minister of justice publish the documents in the case which were in his possession, was then adopted by a vote of 375 to 190.

After the adoption of this motion the ministers left the chamber of deputies in a body, amid ironical Radical cheers, and went to the Elysee palace, where they handed in their resignations to President Faure, who accepted them. The chamber of deputies was adjourned for a week.

The Ministry Which Resigned was formed on Jan. 29 by M. Ribot after the fall of the Dupuy ministry. It was composed of the following members:

M. Ribot, prime minister and minister of finance; M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs; General Zurlinden, minister of war; Admiral Besnault, minister of marine; M. Trarieux, minister of justice; M. Leygues, minister of interior; M. Poincaré, minister of public instruction and worship; M. Dupuy-Dutemps, minister of public works; M. Lobon, minister of commerce; M. Gadaud, minister of agriculture; M. Chataupis, minister of the colonies.

The defeat of the government is not surprising in view of the sweeping charges made against senators, deputies, and editors, brought about by accusations against various prominent men made in the chamber of deputies by M. Rouanet, which culminated recently in the arrest, trial and imprisonment of Edmond Dantigny, former senator of the year, and editor-in-chief of the Evening Post, who is said to have received the sum of \$7,500 francs as part of the profits of the syndicate referred to.

The figure, recently, said that the following names were members of the South of France railway syndicate, made the profits set against their names: Jules Roche, 28,000 francs; M. Rouvier, 6750 francs; M. Etienne, 3000 francs; M. Deland, 5000 francs; M. D. Drey, 12,500 francs; M. Le Mercier, 4500 francs.

The figure added that these deputies were not prosecuted because Accountant Flory was of the opinion that the formation of the syndicate was perfectly regular, and therefore, its members were not guilty of corruption.

It is to be presumed that it was upon this subject that the debate arose which resulted in the government's defeat.

Neither a Winner.

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Fraternal Helpers.

The Fraternal Helpers, Concord lodge, held a sociable last evening in Post 185 G. A. hall.

A donkey party contest was held and the prizes were won by Alfred L. Bailey and Miss Jennie Dolan.

The winners in the whist tournament were C. W. Bell and Miss S. M. Fuller; G. Welch and Mrs. Martin Spoinette.

BOWLING NEWS.

Team One gave Team Five a defeat at bowling at the Highland club last evening. The scores were 2870 to 2524 and Deaton of Team One was high roller with 401.

The Live Oaks outbowed the Dixwells on the Olympic alleys last night by a score of 2114 to 2082.

The Vesper club will entertain Les Miserables club this evening, and a match game will be played on the Vesper club alleys.

Two teams, one composed of "Doc" Riley, Owen Donohoe, "Billy" Connors and Peter Clune, the other including "Ed" Donohoe, "Charlie" Thompson and Frank Donohoe played on the Olympic alleys last evening and it has not been determined yet which side won, though "Doc" Riley put in a claim for the game, because he was out with a "strike," after he "got on" to the favorite "skip," before delivering the ball. It does not make much difference, however, which team won, as the "Doctors" and "Charlie" Thompson, being captains of the respective teams, are entitled to settle for the supper, a privilege that affords them much pleasure.

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SUPERIOR COURT.

Bishop, J.

When court came at 2 o'clock both juries were out and it was necessary to empanel a third jury from the super-numeraries.

When this had been done the second case on the list, that of Joseph Jordon and Lizzie Cretien for alleged adultery, was taken up. Another delay was occasioned by the absence of the defendant's counsel. Officers Dennett and Ryler testified to having seen the two in bed together on a disheveled couch.

The woman, for her defense, said that the man got in her bed while she was asleep while the other defendant had nothing to say that would help him.

The jury retired at quarter to three. There was nothing slow about this third jury for it returned a verdict of guilty against both defendants in less than five minutes.

Fred Stenbom, the Swede who was indicted for simple assault, though charged with manslaughter, in having, it was alleged, caused the death of Joseph Krook. Dist. Attorney Wier recited the facts in the case which are substantially that Krook said he could speak English as well as Stenbom, subsequent words led to blows and Krook was struck in the head. He was taken home and in a few days died. The medical examiner found that Krook had fatty degeneration of the heart and the physicians could not state whether his death was due to that cause or to the blow.

Two friends of the defendant testified to his good character and Supt. Davis gave his knowledge of the case. Dr. Rickert testified that death might have been caused by the blow or by many other causes.

His attorney, Mr. Harvey, argued for a fine but the court sentenced him to the house of correction for eight months.

John Mansfield was sent to the reformatory.

Joseph Jordon and Lizzie Cretien each got one year for adultery.

Robert Bloom was found not guilty and was discharged.

Charles Larock, charged with adultery was discharged.

The jury in the Clark case disagreed. George Norwick got four months for his peculiar case of adultery.

This Forenoon.

In the Superior court, this morning, James W. Clark of Winchester was arraigned for a second time on a charge of polygamy. The jury yesterday disagreed.

This morning, the jury was out but three minutes and returned with a verdict of guilty.

Clark was sentenced to five years in state prison.

Charles Will Wed Mand.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 29.—It is officially announced that Princess Maud of Wales, youngest daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, is betrothed to Prince Charles of Denmark. The princess was born Aug. 3, 1872.

Sultan's Word Not Reliable.

LOXON, Oct. 29.—The Daily Xosra says that it hears that Lord Salisbury is dissatisfied with the sultan's verbal guarantee of Armenian reforms, and that the four great powers favor an early European conference on the Turkish question.

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FOR PRESIDENT

Senator Proctor of Vermont an Aspirant.

HE WILL BE SATISFIED TO WAIT TILL 1900

Before Assuming the Role of Active Candidate.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Vermont has produced many statesmen, and but few politicians. Senator Proctor is a man who possesses traits of both, while in his makeup preponderates a never-sleeping capacity for looking out for personal interests, according to The Sun's Rutland correspondent.



SENATOR PROCTOR.

It is broadly hinted in Vermont, according to the correspondent, that Mr. Proctor has aspirations to the presidential chair, and it will not greatly surprise those who know him if in 1900 his name is prominent in the Republican convention. He will then be somewhat over the three score and ten limit, but his health is still good.

Taxpayers Lose Their Suit.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 29.—In a suit brought by taxpayers of East Providence against the tax assessors there for an alleged unauthorized increase in valuation and for exempting a piece of mill property from taxation the verdict of the supreme court was in favor of the assessors. The plaintiffs claim that taxes had been increased by \$2,000,000, and that gross discrimination was made for political reasons.

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MARQUIS AND PRIEST

Figure in a Trial Which is Absorbing Attention of French Society.

BOURGUES, Oct. 29.—The trial of the Marquis de Nave, who is charged with the murder of his stepson in

SECOND EDITION

SCHOOL MATTERS

Regular Meeting of the Board Last Evening.

MR. WILLIAMS' SALARY INCREASED TO \$1200.

More Discussion Upon the Music System.

The school board met in regular session last evening the mayor and Mr. Daly being absent.

Under the head of unfinished business Mr. Boulger moved to reconsider the motion whereby it was voted not to introduce the Natural system of music into the public schools and Mr. Mulligan raised the point of order that a member voting in the majority should move to reconsider at the same meeting. He then claimed that Mr. Boulger was one of the nine who voted in favor of introducing the Natural system and therefore was in the majority.

Mr. Boulger said that parliamentarily speaking he voted in the minority.

Mr. Curtin believed Mr. Boulger was right and Mr. Harrigan who occupied the chair, ruled the motion in order saying that in a parliamentary sense the nine men who voted on one side of the question were a minority of the full board.

The motion to reconsider then passed, and Mr. Martin moved to postpone action on the matter till the next meeting.

The motion passed unanimously.

Miss M. E. Gilman and Mary A. Hardy were granted certificates to teach in the evening drawing schools.

The evening school teachers as already reported were elected without opposition and certificates of the sixth grade were granted them.

The committee on salaries recommended that the salary of John F. Williams be placed at \$1200 dating from last March, and that A. A. Conway's salary be \$400 per annum.

All temporary teachers were continued. Miss Bennett of the Highland school and Miss Jones of the Franklin school were granted leave of absence.

Miss Lamere was chosen principal of the Billings Street school.

The committee on evening schools recommended that an evening school be opened in Pawtucket street and that Mr. Swapp be appointed subcommittee. The report was accepted and adopted.

A petition for a kindergarten school in the vicinity of Kirk street was referred to the committee on teachers.

The manual training committee was instructed to rent suitable quarters for the manual training school.

The resignation of Miss Ethel W. Cheney as a teacher was accepted and a vote of thanks extended.

Mr. Boulger asked permission to open two extra rooms in the Coburn residence on Coburn street for kindergarten purposes at an extra expense of \$15 per month. The request was granted.

Mr. Boulger said he had a communication from the American Book company and Mr. Cox of the Normal system relative to terms for introducing the respective systems into the schools. The communications were placed in the care of Mr. Whitcomb.

Mr. Coburn was authorized to make some arrangement for having the bell on the fire station on Fletcher street used as a school bell.

A meeting of the committee on evening schools was held to grade the scholars in the Green, Butler, Franklin, Edson, Coburn, Varnum and High Street schools and to teach grammar in these schools.

The object is to allow admission to the evening high school to graduates of the elementary evening schools.

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A ROUSING DEMOCRATIC RALLY

Hon. George Fred Williams and Ex-Mayor Coughlin Speak.

They Arraigned the Republican Party on Many Counts and Assailed Governor Greenhalge on Robbing Cities of Home Rule.

The rally last evening at Huntington Hall was among the most enthusiastic gatherings ever held there and there have been many that rocked the building. Hon. George Fred Williams is a favorite with Lowell audiences regardless of his popularity as the democratic nominee for governor but his highest anticipations of cordial greeting must have been surpassed in the rousing and prolonged cheers with which he was received as he made his bow to the vast audience.

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after three cheers were called for by the chair-man and given with enthusiasm that the applause was heard in the hall.

When quiet was restored Mr. Williams said: "When you meet a man you have no difficulty in telling whether you like him or whether he likes you. We meet these men as they are, and we are not to be deceived. The hall is crowded last night when I spoke here; but tonight I must welcome 300 or 400 new friends.

This is the last week of our campaign. No new issues can be made out. All have been settled upon. But we may look over the field and ascertain what we are to do.

It is my purpose to discuss here an issue which has not been made elsewhere in the commonwealth.

It is that position that, allow me to state my position and my opponent's position with respect to another question. Before the campaign opened I held out the right hand of friendship to the man who promised to be my competitor in this campaign. I said to him: 'I thought you were a liberal. I thought you were a man who would not have to father any secret political or religious party. I thought you were a man who would take a first stand in the matter and that we together could drive that issue out of the campaign in Massachusetts.

The campaign was held. The attitude of my party was what I expected it to be, one of determined opposition to any secret political body.

The republican convention was held and the party surrendered absolutely to the organization which I anticipated. His Excellency said: 'I would fight together. You will remember that I said that the democratic party had nursed religious prejudice and that it was necessary to project a counter movement.

At the ratification meeting I demanded that the religious prejudice be taken out of the platform. I said: 'I would fight together. You will remember that I said that the democratic party had nursed religious prejudice and that it was necessary to project a counter movement.

Two days later he took up my questions and asked me to answer them. He said: 'When a man says that the democratic party means in its platform I say to Williams don't you know what I mean. We are together in this matter.'

This was an answer for himself but not for the party. He put this insinuation upon my party. I said to him: 'I represent one sentiment and your party platform another. I have nothing else to say on that matter.'

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ing is left. You will have left a monarchy, an aristocracy or an oligarchy. Unscrupulous politicians have found a way to commit this crime without punishment. When one half of the votes of the state has been cast by our party, you find that it has elected but one out of eight of the governor's council because the democratic vote is massed so that one half is together and the rest scattered. It is the same gerrymandering in our senatorial and legislative districts. I was gerrymandered out of congress (laughter). There is no opportunity overlooked.

"And now they have begun to gerrymander the cities, and at last the legislature has made special legislation to crush out the will of a majority of the people of Lowell to have this city governed by a republican oligarchy.

"There is no republican governor on record who has ever lost the election of his own party to the extent that Governor Greenhalge has done. Surely he will hold the veto power sacred above all republican governors in history.

"This question of redistricting where you are evenly matched, and where it is that when there should be a redistricting there should be a fair representation for both sides and that in case of unfair play the majority have power to veto.

"But it was not my purpose to be just. They intended to perpetuate a wrong. They went to the legislature and changed your charter rights so as to paralyze the vetoing hand of your chief executive.

"Justly they compelled a joint convention of the lower house and the senate. One half of the city of Lowell but one third. Your vote is now but two thirds of a vote, whereas before it counted one, the right of every citizen while the republican vote counts one and a half.

"This is a question which strikes all citizens of Massachusetts. If a republican legislature and governor will do this in one case and to his neighbors, what can strange cities and strange citizens expect? This will come to be similar to the case of the executive council where only one percent of the voters are represented by one-eighth of the council.

"The Commissions. You are but the victims of the party that has no respect for the rights of the people. The republican organization represents no longer the people and has expended last year by the boards and commissions of the republican party. If you find fault with your servants how will you assert your rights? You will do so one way, by defeating them at the polls.

"If the commissions squandered your money how will you reach them? They are beyond your reach. They are free. Now what does the democracy propose? It is to have a commission to select the servants down to the lowest drudge and to be accountable to the people of Massachusetts; that every person in public service shall be a public servant and that the business of state shall be the business of the people.

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THE TEACHERS do not want to hold their conventions on Saturday. The school board should decide the matter.

HON. ELIJAH A. MORSE was injured in the railroad accident the other day. What an outpouring of sympathy will reach him from A. P. A. members in every part of the state.

FISHER H. PEARSON is again out after Foss. The latter drives around all the back room speak easies and is very hard to keep track of. He spends a good deal of time in Little Canada.

THERE is trouble among the department accountants at Washington. A large sum of money is reported missing and business is suspended in order to find where it is or how it disappeared.

HOLMES, the alleged murderer, now on trial in Philadelphia, seems well versed in the art of springing sensations. As counsel for himself he will probably have a choice selection of sensations in store for the court as often as necessity warrants them.

The author of the new book "All Men Are Liar" is a candidate for office some time or other at the hands of a newly elected Fall River city government.—Fall River Globe.

Or was among the left in some election and had been promised every vote in the constituency he canvassed. It strikes us, however, that the author of "All Men Are Liar" was a woman.

THE SUNDAY PRESS has adopted a new word—"drunkness." It is quite an improvement upon the old drunkenness which has a syllable "en" of no earthly use. This is also favoring the quality of brevity in a drunk which is very desirable and considering the charge made against one of its reporters in its first issue we don't wonder that the Press has come out with this innovation.

The Boston Standard has an Orange lodge column and its news from Nova Scotia and the Provinces is always conspicuous. This plainly indicates the class of readers it seeks to please and their nationality. As an A. P. A. Journal it must first cater to Orangemen and British Americans. Native Americans come next in order.—Haverhill Gazette.

Allegiance to the Prince of Orange is the standard of its patriotism.

THE YOUNG Men's Democratic club of Boston has published a number of pamphlets that throw some lurid light on important state issues. They show up in particular the duties of quasi-public corporations, the lobby, the legislative measures of the republican party, and will make instructive reading. Everybody who wants to be well posted on the issues of the present campaign should read these pamphlets.

MR. WILLIAMS' SPEECH. The speech, or oration rather, of Hon. George Fred Williams at Huntington last evening was among the very best campaign addresses ever delivered in this city. He dealt with the issues of the campaign in a masterly manner and exposed with severity the Fabian policy of the republicans both as to the issues involved and to the questions propounded by the democratic standard bearer.

MONTGOMERY'S SUNDAY BROKERAGE. Rev. Mr. Montgomery injures the cause of no-license more than he benefits it by his side thrusts at newspapers and individuals.

He condemns the Citizen as "unfit for any christian home," and he offered for sale the stock of an A. P. A. sheet that is a disgrace to the intelligence of this community.

He eulogized the Mail probably because he was paid for so doing. In his present situation it is not difficult to secure his services for any such project, but when he conducts a stockbroker's business on Sunday and condemns a clean newspaper, while recommending one that is a synonyme of filth and scurrility his advocacy of any cause loses whatever weight might be attached to it.

As an indication of his consistency he alluded to Foss and Pearson but said not a word of Mr. Nichols the no-license candidate for senator.

Postponement of Trial.
BOSTON, Oct. 29.—Rev. Frank H. Smith, rector of the North Avenue Congregational church of Cambridge, was arraigned in the United States district court yesterday, and the case was adjourned to Nov. 5, when he will plead to an indictment charging him with sending defamatory postal cards through the mails.

A Drawing Card.
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29.—An injunction to restrain Lady Sholto Douglas from appearing on the stage of the Burbank theater with the Fenway company was issued yesterday. The injunction is the result of a quarrel between rival theatrical managers as to which should have Lady Douglas' services.

Invitation to Herbert.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The Merchants' association of Boston have invited Secretary Herbert to attend a banquet at Boston on Nov. 15, and to deliver an address upon the subject of the enlargement of the Boston navy yard and the improvement of the harbor. The secretary took the invitation under consideration.

Sports May Bury Him.
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 29.—No one came to claim the remains of Callahan, and the friendless bridge jumper's body remains at Cliftondale, where he was taken by order of Coroner Henshaw. It is understood that a fund will be raised among the sporting fraternity of Poughkeepsie to bury Callahan.

Misplaced Switch Caused a Wreck.
DANIELS, Conn., Oct. 29.—A misplaced switch threw a freight train on the Norwich and Worcester road from the track last evening. Three cars were piled up over the tracks, blocking them. Freight trains were lined up numerous.

Little One Smothered.
MINISTERS, Mich., Oct. 29.—Two children of John Conley, aged 6 and 6 years, were smothered to death by smoke. They had gotten some matches and set the bedding on fire.

Fire in Car Shops.
LAKEPORT, N. H., Oct. 29.—The fourth disastrous fire at the Lenoir car shops occurred last night, when the iron foundry, the "rolling mill" shop, several freight cars and other property were destroyed, causing a loss of \$25,000.

Probably Gone to the Bottom.
NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The Nova Scotian bark Nellie Troop, which left Manila 193 days ago, is nearly 100 days overdue. Old sailors say that the Nellie Troop will probably never "enter" at this port again.

Palmer's Sentence Reduced.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The president has commuted the five years' sentence of Henry B. Palmer, convicted in Massachusetts of embezzlement, to three years' actual imprisonment.

Wrenn Still Champion.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 29.—George L. Wrenn retains the title of tennis champion of Harvard university, having defeated H. T. Parke, the winner of the fall tournament. Wrenn won with ease.

Reduced to Less Than \$3,000,000.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The gold reserve of the treasury stands at \$2,927,881. The cases of receipts yesterday were \$94,531, which reduced the deficit for October to \$7,644,968, and for the fiscal year to \$17,839,626.

Mrs. Carver Sues For Divorce.
NEW HAVEN, Oct. 29.—Mrs. Carrie J. Carver has filed a suit for divorce from her husband, Dr. William J. Carver, the champion shot. It is on statutory grounds. They were married in 1878.

New York's Registration.
NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The registration figures are now complete, and show a grand total for the city of 251,093. The grand total for 1894 was 308,545, and in 1893 265,949.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.
The ex-Queen of Hawaii will spend the winter in Italy.

Freight trolley cars may be introduced in Newark, N. J.

Winter wheat in the southwest has been damaged by drought.

Twenty American locomotives will be sent to Russia in December.

More powerful warships will be sent to Constantinople by the powers.

Two Boston policemen suspended on account of charges of intoxication.

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Your lungs supply air to your body. Your heart pumps it all over your body. Your kidneys filter it. You would die if any of these three great organs stopped their work. But if any one is more important than the others, it is the kidneys. If the heart is the cause of one disease, your kidneys are the cause of twenty. Treating the kidneys is a great help in some long and heart diseases. But treating your lungs or your heart will never benefit your kidneys. When you feel dull, ambitionless, dizzy, tired, nervous, have pain in your back, headache, chilly sensations, evil forebodings, fullness of the eyelids, swelling of the feet and ankles, when you are losing flesh and sleep, you may be sure you have kidney trouble.

As soon as the kidneys fail sick they stop doing their work. They stop filtering the blood. This is worse than ever. There is poison in unfiltered blood. The poison is what causes so-called "blood diseases," such as Rheumatism, Gout, Anemia, Chlorosis, Neuritis, Eruptions, etc.

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What Troubled Him.
A slender little old man with horny hands and grimy face dropped into a seat on a Market street car last night, set his lunch basket between his feet, mopped the perspiration off his face with a ragged handkerchief and leaned back, exhausted from his day's work. Suddenly he started, clasped both hands over his heart and groaned. Several passengers looked at him curiously. He was evidently suffering intensely.

"What's the matter?" inquired the man next to him.

"Oh, oh, it's my heart!" he groaned. His face was contorted with the agony he suffered, and he writhed and moaned piteously.

"Is there a physician in the car?" shouted an alarmed passenger.

The passengers crowded about the sufferer.

"Stand back and give him air!" yelled the conductor. "Stand back!"

"Oh-h-h-ugh!" The man's groan ended in a shriek of agony.

"Let me see what I can do for him," remarked a stranger. "I'm a physician."

The crowd gave way. The sufferer slipped from the seat to the floor of the car and lay there writhing and groaning.

"Oh, it's my heart!" he groaned. The physician stooped over and commenced to loosen the sufferer's clothing.

"Shall I ring for an ambulance?" inquired the conductor.

"No. You'd better turn in an alarm of fire!" and the physician threw on the floor of the car the stinky clay pipe that he had set fire to the old man's vest pocket.—San Francisco Post.

As Others See Her.
"I think," said the weary looking man, "that I have found a way to cure my wife of the bloomer habit."

"Indeed? That's pretty hard to do in most cases."

"I know it is. It's a delicate undertaking. One that has to be conducted with the greatest discretion. Of course, if I let her know what I am trying to do it will make her angry and spoil everything. It took a great deal of study, but I have found something that will do the business. It's a little expensive, but it will be worth it."

"What are you going to do?"

"Buy her a cheval glass."—Washington Star.

Both to Be "New."
"This talk of the new woman in politics makes me tired!" he exclaimed as he threw down the paper.

"What's the matter?" asked his wife quietly.

Just stop and think of the kind of time the voters of our town have at the polls in a close election and then tell me what a woman could do there. And where would she be in a hot primary fight?"

"But you forget, Joseph!"

"Forget what?"

"That the new woman intends to have a new politics."—Chicago Post.

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Senator Chandler Talks of Our Foreign Policy.

CORCORAN, N. H., Oct. 29.—The Evening Monitor, Senator Chandler's paper, contained a leader from his pen last night in which war with England is predicted. It had for its caption, "Our Coming War With England—A Prediction," and is summarized thus:

War between the United States and England is inevitable. It will arise on account of British disregard for our deepest interests. It will also be forced by British encroachments upon other nations all over the world. It will be fought by us, having Russia as our European ally.

As a war offensive on our part it may not happen within 20 years. As a defensive war, it may come sooner and should be welcomed.

One sure result will be the capture and permanent acquisition of Canada by the United States.

Uniform May Result.
BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 29.—Mayor Whipple announced last night at a meeting of the board of aldermen that a certain matter which had been brought to the attention of the police department would be considered by the police committee. It is understood that the mayor referred to the charges made against the police regarding the alleged non-enforcement of the no-license law by Rev. F. A. Warfield.

Sure of a Fight.
CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—Private telegrams were received in this city last evening from both Brady and Julian, saying that the fight will positively come off on Thursday. Brady says it will be in private for a side bet of \$5000 and \$10,000, and that Fitzsimmons will put up his money as soon as he reaches Hot Springs. Julian says: "The fight will positively come off privately in Hot Springs on Thursday."

All Hands Took Part.
SHEPHERD, La., Oct. 23.—A bloody riot occurred among a crowd of negroes in Bossier parish, in which two were killed and several injured. A negro implicated in the killing stated that he shot one of the negroes in defense. The cause of the trouble was a family row, which ended in a general riot, in which shotguns and pistols were freely used.

Prominent Man Commits Suicide.
GOVERNOR, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Dr. Carpenter, brother-in-law of Governor Flower, and one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of this place, committed suicide yesterday. Dr. Carpenter had been very dependent on account of sickness, and his killing of himself was believed to have resulted entirely from this.

A Crank's Modest Demands.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—C. B. Mangum, a much-quoted crank, called at the war department yesterday and demanded that Treasurer Morgan pay \$317,000,000 for loss of gold sustained by the sinking of the steamer Victoria. At the interstate commerce commission office he reduced this claim to \$100,000,000.

Big Job on Hand.
FAIRHAVEN, Vt., Oct. 29.—The receiver of the land company which has been doing an extensive business in lots at Cambridge, Tenn., is to bring suit against persons who purchased lots and defaulted payment of the balances on the mortgages. Suits will be brought in all the New England states.

Pawnbroker in Bad Scrape.
BOSTON, Oct. 29.—The police yesterday discovered stolen property to the amount of over \$2000 in a pawnbroker's office at 117 Dover street. The proprietor, Solomon Sugarman, was placed under arrest. It is believed large amounts of stolen goods have been disposed of by Sugarman.

Tempestuous Weather.
HALIFAX, Oct. 29.—One of the most terrific storms for some time prevailed here last night. There had been a gale all day, but last evening it developed into a hurricane, accompanied by a regular downpour of rain and by wind and steady lightning and heavy thunder.

Mrs. Walsh's Rash Deed.
CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—A crowd of shoppers and clerks witnessed a strange scene last evening. Mrs. Richard Walsh, weight 200 pounds, jumped from the third-story balcony of one of the big department stores and was dashed to death on the floor and rotunda.

Postal Service Comes High.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—George A. Howard, auditor for the postoffice department, in his annual report, shows that the postal deficiency over the revenue and congressional appropriation for the past fiscal year is \$2,807,044.

Challenger Lost Her Captain.
NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Ship Challenger, from Shanghai, arrived in port yesterday. Her captain, W. W. Purinton, died of heart disease, while near the equator, on Sept. 26. He was formerly a resident of Richmond, Mo.

Prominent Man in Granite State.
CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 29.—Jensens B. Cogswell died yesterday at his home here. He established the Concord Daily Monitor in 1864. He was a member of the state legislature from 1872-4. He was born at Henniker.

Possibly a Murderer.
HARTFORD, Oct. 29.—The body of an unknown man, about 45 years old, was found floating in the river here yesterday. One eye bulging from its socket gave possible evidence of an assault. The police suspect foul play.

Sheriff Didn't Meet Him.
NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 29.—James J. Van Allen returned from New York at 7 o'clock last evening. He was driven to "Wakarusa," his residence here. The deputy sheriff who holds the writ for Van Allen's arrest did not expect him on the boat, but received information that he would probably arrive on a late train.

HOLMES ON TRIAL

The Country Watches the Course of Events

IN TRIAL OF THE GREATEST CRIMINAL

That the Present Age Has Produced.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—H. H. Holmes, or Herman W. Mudgett, which he says is his baptismal name, was put on trial in the court of honor and terminer for the murder of Benjamin F. Pitel in this city on Sept. 2, 1894, and the developments of the first day verified better perhaps than ever before, the force of the maxim that truth is stranger than fiction.

From the nature of the case, and the startling stories concerning it which have gained currency during the past year, sensational revelations were naturally to be expected when he who has come to be regarded as the most skillful and audacious criminal of modern times was placed on trial for his life. Yet what did occur in court so far surpassed all expectations that the most vivid flights of imagination could scarcely have conceived the day's events.

Protestations and entreaties for a continuance of the trial summarily overruled; the sudden withdrawal of the lawyers who had hitherto represented the defendant, the appointment by the court of new counsel and the refusal by the prisoner to accept them as his defenders; the declaration of another lawyer to serve after being selected by Holmes, and, finally, the prisoner trying his own case, this, not to speak of sundry dramatic passages at arms between Holmes and the commonwealth's prosecuting officer, is a summary of what occurred.

Postponement Denied.
After the formalities in connection with the opening of the court had been concluded, Attorney Shoemaker, of counsel for the prisoner, in an address of some length, asked for postponement of the case for 60 days. District Attorney Graham strenuously opposed the motion, declaring that if a continuance should be granted it would mean "the absolute destruction of the commonwealth's case."

Holmes' Counsel Withdraw.
Just at this juncture a startling climax was reached, which resulted in the withdrawal of Lawyers Shoemaker and Rotan from the case, notwithstanding an interpleading from the court that the withdrawal of the attorneys from the case would be open to disbarment by taking such a step "on the eve of a murder trial." A still further sensation was created when Holmes refused to accept the services of Attorneys E. A. Schofield and J. R. Bab, whom the court was about to appoint to defend him, and who, in fact, had taken seats in the chairs vacated by Shoemaker and Rotan. Schofield and Bab also withdrew. Holmes himself pleaded to the indictment for a postponement, but the judge declared that the case must go on. The trial was resumed, Holmes conducting his own defense.

The work of securing a jury was then taken up, and Holmes examined the talesmen himself. The jury was completed at 1:45 o'clock, and then a recess was taken until 3 o'clock. When the talesmen were being examined, Lawyer R. O. Moon appeared in court and had a whispered conference with the prisoner. At its conclusion Mr. Moon stated to the court that he declined to enter into the case on short notice, and Judge Arnold excused him. Holmes made nothing out of the court for a postponement until today, but the judge decided against him, and said that as he (Holmes) had discharged his lawyers he must defend himself.

Pleads Not Guilty.
When Holmes pleaded not guilty to the indictment he did so in a firm voice, which won in keeping with his calm demeanor throughout.

After the recess District Attorney Graham spoke for one hour and twenty-five minutes, concluding at 4:40 o'clock. He then held a brief talk with the judge, and then he adjourned to adjourn court until today. When this became known to Holmes, he arose in the dock and the last sensation of the day occurred.

"May it please your honor," he began, his weak voice vibrating with the emotion which his wonderful self-control prevented from betraying in his face, "I am forced to ask that certain privileges be accorded me in prison. They are not very extensive privileges. I must ask the district attorney to allow me to have in my light, paper and writing materials, that I may be enabled to prepare my case. I shall also ask the privilege of sending or having some one connected with the court sent to Fort Worth, Tex., for certain papers essential to me—how essential I did not know until I heard Mr. Graham's statement this afternoon. Again, I ask that I be furnished with a list of the witnesses to be called by the commonwealth."

His With the District Attorney.
"I decline to give that," said the district attorney, emphatically. "I will furnish that to nobody."

Holmes then repeated his request for an interview with his wife.

"Which with," retorted the district attorney, sharply.

"There was a suspicion of tears in the voice of the friendless man, as he responded with a bitterness that was real: 'You well know which I mean, Mr. Graham. The person you have seen fit to designate Miss Xolke, thereby causing a slur on both her and myself.'"

The district attorney declared that he would have her in court today.

"Mr. Holmes," said Judge Arnold, "I will see that you get light and writing materials."

"I thank you, sir, for the privilege," replied Holmes, politely drooping his head.

The court was then adjourned, the jurors locked in their rooms under careful guard, and the man who is accused of being the most criminal of modern times was conveyed back to prison to prepare his story which he hopes will save him from the hangman's noose.

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WAY TO CONVERT MONOPOLY

FUND FOR LABOR.

Through the Subjugation of the Demon of Land Monopoly Would Come the Breaking of Shylock's Power, and the Question of Money Would Be Solved.

(Special Correspondence.)

Directly or indirectly all the great battles of civilization have been fought around questions of taxation. That is the dictum of history, as formulated by Burke, the great English statesman. Who shall tax who; who shall help us to support our government; who shall be able to get rich at the expense of somebody else, through increased monopoly contrivances giving to this or that group of men, to this or that section, more power over the other in greater accumulation of wealth? There we have the grand storm center of all the important national and international disturbances. Monopoly itself is but private taxation, the worst of all, because more hidden and far heavier than public taxation. With all our wretched extravagance in national and local taxation the whole tax fund in 1894 was not much over \$800,000,000, while the monopoly fund was about \$7,000,000,000 out of a little over \$11,000,000,000 net earnings in the nation. The figures proving this were given in an article December, 1893, in The Locomotive Firemen's Magazine by the writer, who challenged his figures to be disproved, and they were not.

If those figures were to represent some exaggeration, even then we could say that the greatest problem of civilization was how to suppress the monopoly fund and convert it into increased labor fund. The monopoly fund is mostly absorbed by about 2 per cent of the nation, and the balance by 8 per cent small fry monopolists, as the article in question illustrated.

Conversion of the monopoly fund into increased labor earnings is then to the interest of at least 90 per cent of the nation. In some form or other it would benefit everybody, because, beyond a certain point, wealth is the enemy of all positive joys, especially when not acquired through processes in accordance with divine law.

The job implied in that conversion, or rather the destruction of the monopoly fund, can be accomplished through a reconstruction in public taxation. Mr. Louis F. Post has recently and most vividly mentioned the simplicity of the process in a speech to an audience of farmers in the state of New York. He said: "You would not think of setting traps all over a field to catch a groundhog, but would place a trap at the groundhog's hole. Place, then, a trap at the plutocrat's hole (the land) and catch him whether going in or out. You farmers want to catch the plutocrat, who is nothing but the groundhog of the whole industrial fabric, through many traps, many taxes, and he waxes fat on a multiplicity of taxes, because they all can be shifted to the shoulders of the workers."

Well, what applies to the farmers is equally applicable to every honest worker in all fields of industry, in all professions and arts, and to every useful occupation in the whole range of organized society. Land is not only the seat of all homes, but also that of all human activities. Land controlled by the few through direct deeds or under the hidden manipulations of interest bearing securities in any form whatever—that means all industry and commerce at the mercy of the few, and so all workers virtually the slaves of a set of landlords in open or underhand processes.

Now, a fundamental tax reconstruction, as above outlined, implies a money reconstruction, for the purpose of gradually canceling all those interest bearing securities, which, being public or from corporate franchise corporations, are a positive general mortgage on the grand totality of the earnings of the workers. That would give us an abundant medium of exchange which could not be used to check industry, the power of monopoly having been crushed through our one trap tax. All that money supply would then have to go into the channels of legitimate industry. It would then inexorably drop into the hands of all workers according to their respective industry and thrift. That would enable the workers to rapidly wipe out or cancel all private real estate mortgages, or chattel mortgages, or promissory notes, etc. Under such a monetary system every worker could be his own banker. We could have government depositaries subject to check, for instance, and then the money of the bankers would then have to do something useful in the social fabric. They themselves would be the happier for it.

The writer does not really see the need of any group of men being eternally in debt to any set of wealthy chaps, nor to the government for that matter. A healthy social organization can give to all men an abundance of land, in quantity or quality, and so an abundance of wealth, since land is the source of all wealth, and hence an abundance of money, since money is but a representation of wealth, a measure of wealth, a draft on wealth, on "labor created wealth."

We should always discriminate between what we may call natural wealth—natural imperishable elements—and the perishable productions created by labor, and so in need of being constantly reproduced to satisfy human needs and comforts.

Besides those two forms of wealth, we have social wealth, the land values that the totality of the workers owe. That should be taken by society for public needs in the form of economic rent, which, if not collected by society, drops into the hands of a pack of sharpers, increased into monopoly rents, often hidden under forms of interest and profits in gambling combinations. They are all ultimately fed by the demon of land monopoly!

Joseph Gnos.
Morristown, N. J.

Hopeless.
"I have half a notion to give up trying to be a man," sighed the new woman.

"What!" shrieked the others.

"There is no use trying. I have made the most strenuous efforts possible to feel half scared to death when I go into a dry goods store, and I just can't do it."

—Indianapolis Journal.

A SCHEME OF DEGRADATION.

If Labor Submits to Tagging, It May Look Next For the Branding Iron.

From time to time plutocratic employers of laboring men spring the question of the advisability of tagging their employees as workers, men and brand their steers. These plutocrats claim that the employment of vast herds of human cattle makes it necessary to tag and number them that their business may be conducted more satisfactorily to themselves, and with an impudence that defies exaggeration they "round up" their cattle and submit to them the propriety of substituting tags and numbers for names. One of the strange features of this scheme of degradation is seen in the fact that the men whom the plutocratic employers propose to tag and number as if they were penitentiary convicts deem it prudent to discuss the subject as if it were a business proposition rather than a shrewdly devised scheme to ignore their manhood, destroy their individuality as men and citizens and make laborers unrecognizable odds. That this is the case, as shown by Milwaukee, Joliet and Chicago fully established. In these localities, where corporations are engaged in iron and steel manufacturing enterprises and a large number of workmen are employed, the proprietors have unblushingly proposed to tag the men, and the men are discussing the proposition, but so confident are the plutocrats that the men will consent to their own degradation that the tags have been ordered and are ready for use.

It is difficult to grasp the ineffable infamy of this degrading scheme. If it were devised for convicts, galley slaves, criminals transported to penal colonies, it might be regarded as prudent, but that plutocratic employers should suggest the infamous practice for the American workmen is to emulate the policy of the Russian despot, who tags and numbers the victims of his wrath whom he consigns to torture and to death in his Siberian mines.

The scheme of tagging and numbering workmen proposed by the Illinois Steel company and kindred corporations leaves little more to be done to reach the lowest depths of wage slave degradation in the United States. The tagging and numbering infamy accomplished, the branding iron and the iron collar will be in order.

Will American workmen quietly submit to be tagged and numbered? Indeed will they accept the degradation under any possible circumstances or conditions?

Confronted by propositions and preparations to degrade workmen to the level of beasts of burden, the level of "dumb drivel cattle," is it not time for American workmen to protest and resist to the death, if required, to maintain their liberty and their manhood, to rescue their homes from being numbered as stalls for cattle, their wives from the degrading designation of "dams" and their children as the progeny of some sire known only by his tag and number?

If American workmen have not abdicated their manhood, if the fires of liberty and high aspirations are not totally extinguished, they will give corporations to understand that at any and every sacrifice they will resist this last and most infamous invasion of their rights and liberties, and that with their wives and children they will fight down to honored graves rather than live the tagged and numbered slaves of corporations. —Eugene V. Debs in Chicago Evening Press.

'Twas Ever Thus.
Laborer—What brings you here? What do you want? You don't belong to us. Go away.
The White Handled Man—I belong to you, brothers.
Laborer—What an ideal! You one of us! A likely story. Look at my hands. Don't you see how dry they are? They smell of the earth of the barnyard. But look how white yours are. What do they smell of?
The White Handled Man—Here, smell!
Laborer—What the devil is that? They seem so small of iron!
The White Handled Man—True. I wore chains on them for six years.
Laborer—Why?
The White Handled Man—Because I wrote in your case, because I wished to set you poor, ignorant men free from the shackles of hell built against your oppressors. That was why they put me in prison.

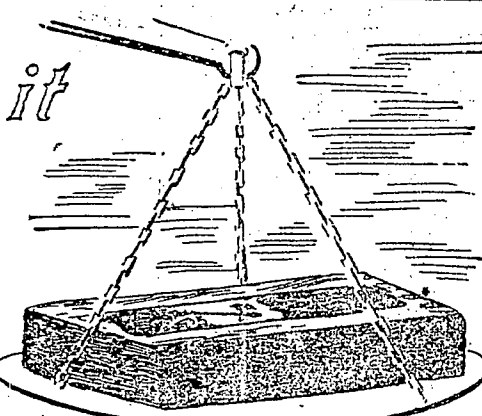
Laborer—How? You've been to prison? Who told you to rebel?
TWO YEARS LATER.
Another Laborer to the First—Say, Peter, don't you know that fellow with white hands who came here summer before last? He talked with you.
First Laborer—Yes. Well, what about him?
Second Laborer—Only think! He's going to be hung today.
First Laborer—Has he been on rebellion?
Second Laborer—Yes, just as before.
First Laborer—What do you mean by that? Brother Dimitry, don't you suppose we could get a bit of the rope he's hanged with? They say that such a bit of rope brings good luck to a house.
Second Laborer—That is true, Brother Peter. We must try.—Ivan Turgenoff.

Growth of British Unions.
The increase of membership in 20 of the leading British trade unions during the last six years is thus reported by the government: Amalgamated engineers, 21,000; iron molders, 8,000; boiler makers, 12,000; shipwrights, 10,000; carpenters and joiners, 10,000; bricklayers, 14,000; stonemasons, 6,000; cotton spinners, 4,000; weavers, 10,000; tailors, 3,000; shoemakers, 34,000; Durham miners, 20,000; Yorkshire miners, 41,000; Northumberland miners, 18,000; railway workers, 24,000; printers, 6,000; London printers, 4,000; farm laborers, 4,000; dock laborers, 14,000.

The Unemployed in New Zealand.
Sydney, New South Wales, has hit upon a practical method of dealing with its unemployed. It furnishes a railway pass and a miner's right of credit to each suitable applicant to enable him to proceed to one of the goldfields of the colony, where he may have a chance of earning a living by "fossicking" for the precious metal. The number of passes issued in 1894 was 9,572, and since the inauguration of the scheme the quantity of gold obtained in the colony has risen from 179,288 ounces in 1893 to 324,787 ounces in 1894.

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Notice to Iron Bridge Builders

Sealed proposals addressed to the Joint Standing Committee on Streets of the City of Lowell, and endorsed "Proposals for Building Superstructure of Bridge," will be received at the office of the City Engineer, City Hall, Lowell, Mass., until 1 o'clock p. m. of Thursday, November 14, 1895.

The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the committee as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid must be signed by the bidder, and be accompanied by a cash or certified check for the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000), payable to the order of the Treasurer of the City of Lowell. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to appear at the office of the city engineer, with the securities offered by him or them, and execute the forms within four days (not including Sunday) from the date of notification of award, and the preparation and readiness for signature of the contract, and in case of failure or neglect to do so, the bid will be considered null and void.

Bids will be received for building the superstructure in accordance with plans, detail drawings, and specifications which will be furnished by the committee, and no other bids will be considered.

Plans, specifications and form of contract may be seen at the above office, on and after Monday, the 10th of this month.

The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it for the interest of the city to do so.

DANIEL H. VARNUM,
Chairman Joint Standing Committee on Streets,
City Engineer, City Hall, Lowell, Oct. 29, 1895.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, OCT. 29.
SUN RISES..... 6:14. MOON SETS..... 2:10 AM.
SUN SETS..... 5:23. MOON RISES..... 11:55 AM.
LENGTH OF DAY, 10 22. FULL SEA..... 8 30 PM.
Forecast for New England: Colder;
northwesterly winds and fair weather.

LOCAL NEWS.

The sub-station at Ellingwood's store will be opened Nov. 1st. Mr. Ellingwood will be the clerk.

Blue blood steel packing is the latest and best packing for steam sold at Coburn's, Market street.

No matter what sort of an overcoat you fancy, or what you want to pay for it, if you'll call at J. L. Chalifoux's you'll find what you want.

All Halloween will be celebrated in a jolly way by the Harmonia society, at an entertainment at St. Huntington hall, Thursday evening, Oct. 31st. Supper, pantomime, music and dancing. Admission twenty five cents.

Yesterday's Alarm.

The alarm from box 35 last evening was for a chimney fire in a house near the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the common council will be held to-night to act on the blanket loan.

A meeting of the water board will be held at 7:30 this evening.

Borjes' Band Concert And Ball.

It is years since any band has given a concert and ball. At one time these parties were very popular and were always largely attended and all attending were sure of a good time. The concert and ball of Borjes' band will be held at Huntington hall, Dec. 9th. Concert from 8 to 9 and dancing from 9 until 1 o'clock. The committee by the band have decided that popular prices will show how the citizens of Lowell appreciate and will attend such an organization which is one of the leading bands of the state. The price of tickets is 25 cents.

The genuine novelty will be the band of 25 pieces furnishing music for the dancing. It is Joseph H. Hubbard, W. H. Valentine, M. M. Fosse and N. J. Thomas as promoters.

Prizes of \$25 and \$40 in gold will be given to the persons selling the largest number of tickets and those desiring to compete for the prizes will find the tickets ready at J. H. Jeannotte & Co's, 7 Hurst street, on Thursday at 10 o'clock. No member of the band being obliged to compete for prizes.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The young man who is to marry the Vanderbilt young woman shows a decidedly playboy disposition. He has even refused to pay the duties on the wedding present sent by friends in England to his affianced. He has the right of course, to regulate his own personal expenses, and the American people have the right to laugh at him.

Did you ever notice how often some of the most prominent church members arrive late. They come in during the services disturbing all around them and even the officiating clergyman. Yet they pride themselves upon being among the most devout members of the congregation.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

A crowded house was present last night at Music Hall to witness the presentation of the "White Crook." The company is fully as strong as when here last year, and the whole performance is replete with fun and laughter not a dull moment being in the whole.

Funny specialties by clever comedians are interspersed between the curtain drops. The show is well worth seeing and anybody looking for a couple of hours of rare fun should not fail to see the "White Crook." The show will be repeated here tonight and tomorrow night.

An Awful Calamity.

In the year 1901 I remember seeing a very dismal procession passing down the street. It consisted of an elderly gentleman, well dressed—only his hat had fallen off—walking hand-cuffed between two policemen, while another policeman marched behind.

The elderly gentleman looked pitifully conscious of his disgraceful situation. The boys ran after. The people in the street looked on curiously.

"What has he done?" asked one.
"He didn't go to see Lillian Kennedy in the great comedy 'She Couldn't Marry Three.'"
"Isn't it shameful."

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Met in Special Session Yesterday Afternoon.

The aldermen met yesterday afternoon in special session and adopted a resolution authorizing Joseph S. Ludlum to move buildings from Lakeview avenue to Coburn street.

Alderman Howe moved that a ballot be taken for principal assessor. Every one smiled.

The ballot: Necessary for a choice, 5; John P. Mahoney, 4; Allen T. Dodge, 2; James Scott, 2.

Alderman Varnum moved for the second ballot which resulted as follows: John P. Mahoney, 5; James Scott, 2; Allen T. Dodge, 1.

Martin G. Leonard was appointed and confirmed as a collector.

The resolution accompanying the petition of the Appleton mills for a private railroad along Jackson street to their storehouse now building in that thoroughfare passed.

The following petitions were referred: Of Rev. Michael O'Brien for an electric light on Fenwick street; of Patrick Manning that a telegraph pole in front of his residence on School street be removed; of Michael Kennedy that a tree on Richmond street be cut down; of the Tremont & Suffolk company to place tracks in Cheever street.

Permission was given to conduct an entertainment in aid of St. John's hospital in Huntington Hall, Nov. 17. It was voted to have a tree in front of the premises of William H. Anderson at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets removed.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery petitioned for the withdrawal of the Gladstone club license.

The order to build a sewer from East Merrimack street from the land of Robert S. Bartlett through Andover street was passed.

The order was passed referring the list of voters in the Tewksbury annex to the town clerk of Tewksbury where the men on the list vote for senator and representative.

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FRENCH CABINET

Falls Under Weight of Railway Scandals.

HOW THE CRISIS WAS BROUGHT ABOUT.

It Has Long Been Anticipated by Citizens.

PARIS, Oct. 29.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday M. Roumeau, who has been prominent in exposing those who were connected with the Panama canal and Southern railroad syndicates, questioned the government regarding the South of France railroad scandal, it being alleged that a number of senators, deputies and other high officials, large part of the company by fair or unfair means.

He declared that the good repute of parliament was involved and asked for explanations as to the partiality which had been shown toward those involved in the scandals, claiming that the authorities had been afraid to prosecute them because the deputies and senators involved with the late Baron Reinach of Panama canal fame had disposed of \$8,500,000 francs in various ways, and on behalf of the southern railways he demanded that the minister of justice, M. Trarieux, publish the dossier, and which would throw light on the subject.

M. Binder then charged the minister of justice with culpable leniency, and demanded that the guilty parties be punished.

M. Trarieux replied, denying that he had long had in his possession documents which required the arrest of Edmond Magnier, ex-senator and recently editor-in-chief of the Evénement, who was recently sentenced to a term of imprisonment for having received part of the profits of the syndicate. Continuing, the minister of justice said that whenever the government believed it had incriminating evidence it had presented the parties involved. No deputy, he added, was included among the guilty parties.

Amid continual raucous interruptions, M. Trarieux managed to say, in addition, that several names were known to the government as having figured in the report of the expert, M. Flory, the official accountant, who made an inquiry into the finances of the South of France railroad. He was interrupted by excited cries of "Names!"

Names Given.

In reply, M. Trarieux said: "Rouvier, Jules Roche, Edouard Deloncle, Baudouin and others." When he was able to make himself heard, the minister of justice added that the majority of those whose names had been mentioned had explained their position, and he concluded with the remark: "The chamber now knows the truth, and if parliament considers its dignity and honor compromised, the government will join the chamber in voting for repressive measures, and in the face of those explanations asks the chamber for a vote of confidence."

The order of the day, pure and simple, was submitted to the chamber, and rejected by a vote of 406 to 105.

M. Harbort then moved that the chamber agree to a censure of the members of the "White Crook." The motion was accepted by Premier Ribot, and was adopted unanimously.

Later M. Roumeau submitted a motion demanding that full light be thrown upon the South of France railroad scandal, asking the government to present all those who have been found to be implicated in them, and submit to the chamber the report of the expert who inquired into the finances of the company.

M. Ribot thereupon said it was useless to submit the expert's report, and as to the prosecutions, he added, the work of justice had been accomplished and could not be reopened.

M. Roumeau's motion, asking for an explanation as to the partiality which had been shown toward those involved in the scandals, claiming that the authorities had been afraid to prosecute them, and demanding that the minister of justice publish the documents in the case which were in his possession, was then adopted by a vote of 275 to 193.

After the adoption of this motion the ministers left the chamber of deputies in a body, amid ironical Radical cheers, and went to the Elysee palace, where they handed in their resignations to President Faure, who accepted them. The chamber of deputies was adjourned for a week.

The Ministry Which Resigned the 26th by M. Ribot after the fall of the Dupuy ministry. It was composed of the following members:

M. Ribot, prime minister and minister of finance; M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs; General Zurlinden, minister of war; Admiral Besnard, minister of marine; M. Trarieux, minister of justice; M. Legues, minister of interior; M. Poincaré, minister of public instruction and worship; M. Dupuy-Dutemps, minister of public works; M. Lobon, minister of commerce; M. Gadaud, minister of agriculture; M. Chautemps, minister of the colonies.

The defeat of the government is not surprising in view of the sweeping charges made against senators, deputies, and even ministers, involved, first of all in the Panama syndicate, and, more recently, in the South of France railway management scandals, which became public as the result of an investigation made by M. Flory, the official accountant of that company, brought about by accusations against various prominent men, made in the chamber of deputies by M. Roumeau, which culminated recently in the arrest, trial and imprisonment of Edmond Magnier, formerly senator of the var, and editor-in-chief of the Evénement, who is said to have received the sum of \$7,500,000 francs of the profits of the syndicate referred to.

The Flory, recently, said that the following named members of the chamber of deputies, who were members of the South of France railway syndicate, made the profits set against their names: Jules Roche, 200,000 francs; M. Rouvier, 6750 francs; M. Bismé, 8000 francs; M. Deloncle, 5000 francs; M. Passy, 12,500 francs; M. Le Merle, 4500 francs.

The Flory added that those deputies were not prosecuted because Accountant Flory was of the opinion that the formation of the syndicate was perfectly regular, and, therefore, its members were not guilty of corruption.

It is to be presumed that it was upon this subject that the debate arose which resulted in the government's defeat.

Neither a Winner.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—The gymnastium of the New Manhattan Athletic club was crowded at the second of the series of subscription boxing bouts given by the club. The event of the evening was the 10-round bout at catchweights between George Dixon and "Young Griffe." Griffe was the victor by a knockout. The referee declared the bout a draw.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Fraternal Helpers.

The Fraternal Helpers, Concord lodge, held a social last evening in Post 155 G. A. R. hall.

A doctory party contest was held and the prizes were won by Alfred L. Bailey and Miss Jeanie Dolan.

The winners in the whist tournament were C. W. Bell and Miss S. M. Fuller; G. Welch and Mrs. Martin Lapointe.

BOWLING NEWS.

Team One gave Team Five a defeat at bowling at the Highland club last evening. The scores were 2070 to 2524 and Burton of Team One was high roller with 900.

The Live Oaks outbowed the Dixwells on the Olympic alleys last night by a score of 2514 to 2082.

The Vesper club will entertain Les Miserables club this evening, and a match game will be played on the Vesper club alleys.

Two teams, one composed of "Doc" Riley, Owen Donohoe, "Billy" Connors and Peter Chuse, the other including "Ed" Donohoe, "Charlie" Thornton and "Frank" Donohoe played on the Olympic alleys last evening and it has not been determined yet which side won, though "Doc" Riley put in a claim for the game, because he was credited with a "strike" after he "got on" to the favorite "skip" before delivering the ball. It does not make much difference, however, which team won as the "Doc" and "Charlie" Thornton, being captains of the respective teams, are entitled to settle for the supper, a privilege that affords them much pleasure.

Now for the opening of the season in both leagues. A good start means a grand finish so keep your eye on the opening games.

Les Miserables have a beautiful illuminated sign for their new alleys.

"Mike" Flynn of this city is one of the attendants in the Brockton alleys.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Unhappy, J.

When court came in at 2 o'clock both juries were out and it was necessary to empanel a third jury from the supernumeraries.

When this had been done the second case on the list, that of Joseph Jondren and Lizzie Cretien, charged with adultery, was taken up. Another delay was occasioned by the absence of the defendant's counsel. Officers Dennett and Ryder testified to having seen the two in bed together on a dish.

The woman, for her defense, said that the man got in her bed while she was asleep while the other defendant had nothing to say that would help him. The jury retired at quarter to three.

There was nothing slow about this third jury if it returned a verdict of guilty against both defendants in less than five minutes.

Fred Stenbom, the Swede who was indicted for simple assault though charged with manslaughter, in having, it was alleged caused the death of Joseph Krock. Dist. Attorney Wier rectified the facts in the case which are substantially that Krock said he could speak English as well as Stenbom, subsequent words led to blows and Krock was struck in the head. He was taken home and in a few days died. The medical examiner found that Krock had fatty degeneration of the heart and the physicians could not state whether his death was due to that cause or to the blow.

Two friends of the defendant testified to his good character and Supt. Davis gave his knowledge of the case. Dr. Ricker testified that death might have been caused by the blow or by many other causes.

His attorney, Mr. Harvey, argued for a fine but the court sentenced him to the house of correction for eight months.

John Mansfield was sent to the reformatory.

Joseph Jondren and Lizzie Cretien each got one year for adultery.

Robert Bloom was found not guilty and was discharged.

Charles Larock, charged with adultery was discharged.

The jury in the Clark case disagreed. George Norwick got four months for his peculiar case of adultery.

This Forenoon.

In the Superior court, this morning, James W. Clark of Winchester was arraigned for a second time on a charge of polygamy. The jury yesterday disagreed.

This morning the jury was out but three minutes and returned with a verdict of guilty.

Clark was sentenced to five years in state prison.

Charles Will Ved Mand.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 29.—It is officially announced that Princess Maud of Wales, youngest daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, is betrothed to Prince Charles of Denmark. The princess was born Nov. 26, 1890, and the prince was born Aug. 3, 1872.

Sultan's Word Not Reliable.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Daily News says that it hears that Lord Salisbury is dissatisfied with the Sultan's verbal guarantee of Armenian reform, and that the four great powers favor an early European conference on the Turkish question.

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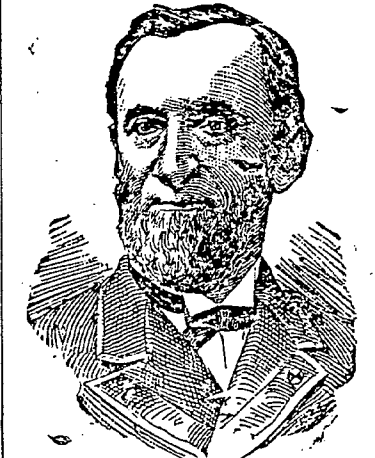
FOR PRESIDENT

Senator Proctor of Vermont an Aspirant.

HE WILL BE SATISFIED TO WAIT TILL 1900

Before Assuming the Role of Active Candidate.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Vermont has produced many statesmen, and but few politicians. Senator Proctor is a man who possesses traits of both, while in his make-up preponderates a never-sleeping capacity for looking out for personal interests, according to The Sun's Rutland correspondent.



SENATOR PROCTOR.

It is broadly hinted in Vermont, according to the correspondent, that Mr. Proctor has aspirations to the presidential chair, and it will not greatly surprise those who know him if in 1900 his name is prominent in the Republican convention. He will then be somewhat over the three score and ten limit, but his health is still good.

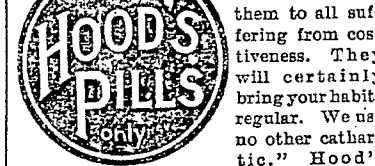
Taxpayers Lose Their Suit.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 29.—In a suit brought by taxpayers of East Providence against the tax assessors there for an alleged unauthorized increase in valuation and for exempting a piece of mill property from taxation the verdict of the supreme court was in favor of the assessors. The plaintiffs claim that taxes had been increased by \$2,000,000, and that gross discrimination was made for political reasons.

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MARQUIS AND PRIEST

Figure in a Trial Which is Absorbing Attention of French Society.

BOUTGES, Oct. 29.—The trial of the Marquis de Noye, who is charged with the murder of his stepson in 1885, began here yesterday. The case is a sensational one.

The Marquis de Noye, who has been in prison for 10 months awaiting trial, was held in his young days, dissipated a large fortune, and married a rich heiress, Marie Marie de Baurreuil, whose illegitimate son he is charged with murdering by throwing him from the cliffs along the Sorrento road into the bay of Naples, after having previously stunned the boy by hitting him over the head with a heavy instrument. The Marquis was denounced by his wife, but his friends assert that the lad, who was of a despondent nature, committed suicide by jumping from the cliffs, and that the Marquis had concocted the story to rid himself of her husband in order that she might marry a priest who had been the boy's tutor, if not his father.

The Baiter Massacre.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 29.—It is officially declared here that the Armenians provoked the Baiter disturbances by firing upon the Mussulmans, and that many persons were killed and wounded on both sides before the young Armenians suppressed the rioting. It is also officially stated that the Armenians unwarrantably attacked the Mussulmans at Marash and Zeitoun. At the Turkish embassy here it is believed that all the recent disturbances in Armenia are the direct result of an organized conspiracy covering various parts of the country.

Rose and the Cap.

RYDE, Isle of Wight, Oct. 29.—The sailing committee of the Royal Victoria Yacht club met here yesterday and formulated a letter to Secretary Oddie of the New York Yacht club, confirming the letter of Charles D. Rose, withdrawing his challenge, through the Royal Victoria Yacht club, for the America's cup. The committee refused to say anything in regard to the reasons Mr. Rose had given for withdrawing his challenge or regarding the future plans of the club in relation to the cup.

Further Outrages May Be Expected.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 29.—The Vladivostok correspondent of The Novoe Vremya telegraphs that the Chinese secret societies are showing marked activity, and that they are enjoying the secret support of many high officials who are themselves members of these organizations. The situation is regarded as being very critical.

Duke of Orleans Concerned in It.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—An affidavit was filed in a divorce case yesterday, the suit of Woolston v. Woolston, in which it was stated that Mrs. Woolston, the defendant, lived for a time under the protection of the Duke of Orleans, the pretender to the throne of France, on his house-boat and at the Savoy hotel.

Why Not Enforce Laws?

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 29.—Nine smugglers have been arrested at Dart, St. Lawrence and Mortier Bay, and large stocks of rum and tobacco confiscated. The government claim that by vigorous enforcement of the revenue laws it will be possible to collect \$300,000 more duties yearly.

For Dismal to Cherish.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The committee on the Deterioration fund met at Cardiff last evening and decided to present a silver model of Valkyrie III, 23 inches high, to her owner.

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